CLAIMS

1. A compound of formula I

wherein

 R_a is H; C_{1-4} alkyl; or C_{1-4} alkyl substituted by OH, NH₂, NHC₁₋₄alkyl or N(di-C₁₋₄alkyl)₂; one of R_b , R_c , R_d and R_e is halogen; C_{1-4} alkoxy; or C_{1-4} alkyl; and the other three substituents are H; or R_b , R_d and R_e are all H; and R is a radical of formula (a)

wherein

R₁ is -(CH₂)_n-NR₃R₄, wherein

each of R_3 and R_4 , independently, is H or C_{1-4} alkyl; or R_3 and R_4 form together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bound a heterocyclic residue;

n is 0, 1 or 2; and

 R_2 is H; halogen; $C_{1\rightarrow alkyl}$; CF_3 ; OH; SH; NH_2 ; NO_2 ; $C_{1\rightarrow alkoxy}$; $C_{1\rightarrow alkyl}$ thio; $NHC_{1\rightarrow alkyl}$; $N(di-C_{1\rightarrow alkyl})_2$ or CN; or a salt thereof.

2. A compound according to claim 1 wherein R_a is H or methyl; one of R_b , R_c , R_d and R_e is methyl or ethyl and the other three substituents are H; or R_b , R_c , R_d and R_e are all H; R_2 is H; Cl, methyl or NO₂; n is 1; and each of R_3 and R_4 , independently, is H, methyl, ethyl or *i*-propyl; or R_3 and R_4 form together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bound a heterocyclic residue, or a salt thereof.

- 3. A compound according to claim 1 or 2 which is selected from
- 3-(2-Chloro-6-dimethylaminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(2-Chloro 6-methylaminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(6-Aminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(2-Chloro-6-dimethylaminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(2-Chloro-6-dimethylaminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(7-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(2-Chloro-6-methylaminomethyl -naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(7-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(6-Aminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione;
- 3-(6-Aminomethyl-naphthalen-1-yl)-4-(7-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)-pyrrole-2,5-dione; or a salt thereof.
- 4. A compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, in free form or in a pharmaceutically acceptable salt form, for use as a pharmaceutical.
- 5. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, in free form or in pharmaceutically acceptable salt form, in association with a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier therefor.
- 6. Use of a compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, in free form or in a pharmaceutically acceptable salt form, or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5 in the manufacture of a medicament for treating or preventing diseases or disorders mediated by T lymphocytes and/or PKC.
- 7. Use of a compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, in free form or in a pharmaceutically acceptable salt form, or a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5 in the manufacture of a medicament for treatment and/or prevention of T-cell mediated acute or chronic inflammatory diseases or disorders, autoimmune diseases, graft rejection, cancer or infectious diseases.
- 8. A pharmaceutical combination comprising a compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, in free form or in a pharmaceutically acceptable salt form, and a further agent selected

from immunosuppressant, immunomodulatory, anti-inflammatory, chemotherapeutic, antiproliferative and anti-diabetic agents.

9. A process for the production of the compound of formula I according to claim 1 or claim 2, which process comprises reacting a compound of formula II

$$R_{a}$$
 R_{b}
 R_{a}
 R_{b}
 R_{a}

wherein R_a ; R_b ; R_c , R_d and R_e are as defined in claim 1 and claim 2, with a compound of formula III

$$R - CH_2 - CO - NH_2$$
 (III)

wherein R is as defined in claim 1 and claim 2, and, where required, converting the resulting compound of formula I obtained in free form to a salt form or vice versa, as appropriate.

10. A method for treating or preventing disorders or diseases mediated by T lymphocytes and/or PKC, in a subject in need of such treatment, which method comprises administering to said subject an effective amount of a compound according to any one of claim 1 to 3, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.